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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Decided on :29.01.2025

Ravinder Singh

.....Appellant

VERSUS**Rinku Kharb**

.....Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR**

Present: Mr. Ashit Malik, Advocate for the appellant.

SUDHIR SINGH, J (ORAL)

CM No.1701-CII of 2025

For the reasons given in application, same is allowed. Delay of 323 days in filing the appeal is condoned.

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1 The challenge in the present appeal is to the order dated 05.12.2023 passed by learned Family Court, Bhiwani, vide which, after assessing the income of the appellant as Rs.9,00,000/- per month, the respondent-wife was awarded an amount of Rs.2,00,000/- per month as maintenance pendente-lite.

2 Learned counsel appearing for the appellant-husband submits that as of now the income of the appellant-husband stands reduced as he is no longer serving in merchant navy and, thus, he is not able to pay the respondent-wife, the maintenance amount as awarded by the learned Family Court.

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3 In view of the aforesaid submission of the learned counsel for the appellant-husband, we dispose of the present appeal by granting liberty to the appellant-husband, to move an appropriate application before the learned Family Court, incorporating the aforesaid submission made on his behalf. If any such application is filed, the learned Family Court, shall decide the same in accordance with law.

4 Pending application(s), if any, stands disposed of accordingly.

**(SUDHIR SINGH)
JUDGE**

**(SUKHVINDER KAUR)
JUDGE**

29.01.2025

*jjyoti3**Whether speaking/reasoned:**Yes/No**Whether reportable:**Yes/No*